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Falmouth, Febr. 27.

YEsterday came in here the *Betty* of *Southampton*, *Benjamin Pitfeild* Master, from *Cadiz*, laden with Salt and Wine, and bound home; she came from *Cadiz* about five weeks since, in company of about 40 Sail more, *English* and *Dutch*, under the Convoy of two *Dutch* Men of War; the *English* Ships are all passed up the *Channel* except this that put in here, which being a bad Sailer, could not keep them company; but the *Dutch*, who were about 19 Sail, are yet beating it up. The Master of the *Betty* reports, that Viceadmiral *Herbert* had forced the Admiral of *Argiers* ashore, with some other Ships in his company, and had retaken a *Dutch* Merchantman. This morning came into this Port the *Abigail* of this place, in three days from *Brest*; the Master tells us, that there are in all about 30 Men of War, of which 9 or 10 are fitting out, the rest being all haled up, and unrigged.

Lime, Febr. 27. Here is arrived the *Society* of this place from the *Canaries*; and at the same time we have the ill News, that the *Charity*, likewise of this place, bound for *Virginia*, is taken by the *Algierines*. Three dayes since sailed from hence several Vessels laden with Cloth, and other Merchandizes, for *France*.

Plimouth, Febr. 28. Here is arrived the *John and William* of *London*, Captain *Nicols* Commander, from the *Streights*; he reports that Viceadmiral *Herbert* had been before *Sally*, and had chased ashore on that Coast two *Algierine* Men of War, with two Prizes they had with them, where they, with most of the Men in them, were lost.

Weymouth, March 1. Yesterday came in here the *John* of this place, *Richard Wilson* Master, bound for *Holland* from *St Malo's*, from whence he came on Wednesday last; he tells us, that about a fortnight since, 700 Seamen were sent from *St. Malo's* to *Brest*, to help to man the six Men of War that are fitting out there; and that there was a report at *St. Malo's* when he came away, that Orders were sent to *Brest*, to fit out 8 or 9 Men of War more.

Yarmouth, March 3. Yesterday came into this Road five of His Majesties Frigats with Soldiers from *Flanders*.

Portsmouth, March 4. The 2d instant arrived at *Spithead* the *Lark* Frigat, Captain *Trelawney* Commander, from *Flanders*, having brought from thence two Companies of Colonel *Legg*'s Regiment; and yesterday arrived the *Staveren*, Captain *Shelton* Commander, with six Companies more, which are now landing, the Wind being at N.E.

Naples, Febr. 14. From *Messina* we have an account, that the new Viceroy, since his arrival there, had made a very great reformation, having displaced all the Jurats of that City, and caused others to be chosen, who were all *Spaniards*; that the Townhouse had been pulled down, the Citizens disarmed, and some persons executed for the late Rebellion. The Banditi of this Kingdom have of late done much mischief, and our Viceroy has thereupon commanded, that Parties be sent out of several Garisons to suppress them.

Coningsberg, Febr. 24. Colonel *Schoning*, who followed the *Suedes* almost to the Frontiers of *Livonia*, is returned hither, and has given his Electoral Highness an account of the great disorder that Countrey is in, to see their Army return in so bad a condition as their retreat had put them into.

Riga, Febr. 25. The *Suedes* Army, commanded by Count *Horne*, is come back from *Prussia*, into the Neighborhood of this City, having sustained some loss in two or three Rencounters they had with the *Brandenburgh* Troops, but nothing near to what we hear is given out by them. Nor have the *Suedes* lost their Cannon or Baggage, as has been reported, which are now with th Army; the extremity of the weather, and the want of Provisions, did indeed very much incommode them in their march, and occasioned the loss of a great many Men; but in the Actions they had with the *Brandenburgs*, they lost not any Officer of Note except Colonel *Marep*, who was taken Prisoner; and at the same time Count *Oxenstierne* was wounded, by a shot through the thigh.

Vienna, Febr. 26. Since our last, have arrived here five Extraordinary Couriers, one from the Pope, one from *Spain*, one from *Savoy*, and two from the Duke of *Neuburg*. One has been likewise sent from hence with Letters to the Duke of *Lorrain*, in which he is desired to repair forthwith hither, the Emperor needing his advice in some matters relating to the present posture of affairs. The Assembly at *Francfort* will be continued, and the Points that will be proposed to be there treated upon, will be for the securing the Peace and Tranquility of the Empire. There is now less appearance than ever, of composing the affairs of *Hungary*: For the Rebels have, it's said, absolutely rejected the General Pardon tendered them by the Emperor, which they had expected would have been accompanied with a Grant of free exercise of their Religion, and the restitution of their Estates. In the mean time it is said here, that their affairs are in a very ill condition, as well through the differences and divisions that are amongst themselves, as by the desertion of the *Polish* Troops, who made a Body of about 2000 Men, and have not only quitted their Party, as the Letters from *Hungary* say, but have put themselves into the service of the Emperor. The Emperor, we are told, has resolved to ratifie the Treaty concluded at *Nimeguen* by his Ambassadors with those of *France*. Accordingly the Ratifications are dispatching.

Ratisbonne, Febr. 28. The 22 instant the Deputy of the Elector of *Brandenburgh* made a second Protest in the Dyet against the Peace concluded between the Emperor and *France*. In answer to which, the *Imperial* Deputies represented to the Dyet at large, this